

THE WEATHER.

Forecasts
Maritime — Moderate north-west winds; fine and cool with light frosts.

Toronto, Oct. 24.—A few local showers have occurred today in Manitoba and Saskatchewan, but over the Dominion generally the weather has been fine and cool. There was a sharp frost this morning in nearly all parts of Ontario.

Temperatures.

	Min	Max
Calgary	26	54
Edmonton	30	44
Medicine Hat	38	52
Battleford	32	50
Prince Albert	30	50
Moose Jaw	30	42
Regina	32	40
Winnipeg	38	50
Port Arthur	40	42
Toronto	30	48
Kingston	28	44
Ottawa	34	46
Montreal	34	44
Quebec	32	46
Halifax	38	50

Around the City

Given a Wrist Watch.
Charles M. Johnson, of the Canadian Drug Co., who has enlisted with the siege battery, was presented with a handsome wrist watch on Saturday. The presentation was made by John Russell, Jr., in an appropriate speech.

N. E. Conservative Club.
The annual meeting of the North End Conservative Club will be held Tuesday night at eight o'clock in the rooms, Simonds street. Reports for the year will be submitted and officers elected. Members are requested to be in attendance.

Damage Slight.
The North End fire department was called out about ten o'clock last night by an alarm from box 131 to extinguish a fire which had broken out around a chimney in Frank Foster's house on Victoria street. The damage was slight.

Making Up 104th Battalion.
The work of transferring the extra men from the 64th to the 104th Battalion will be started at Sussex today. Some of the men will be stationed in Sussex. The 7th band has joined the 64th Battalion and took part in the church parade yesterday and made a fine impression.

North End Smoker.
A recruiting meeting will be held in the St. Michael's Hall, North End, to night at eight o'clock. Rev. Dr. Hutchison, Commissioner Potts and Daniel Mullin, K. C., will be the speakers, while Steve Hurley, Mathew Morris and Robert Carson will entertain the audience with readings and songs.

No License.
Sergeant Caples, with Detectives Barrett and Briggs made a raid on the One Mile house about 5.30 o'clock, Saturday afternoon, and captured about twenty-five cases of ale, lager beer and soft drinks, which was carted to the police headquarters and nearly filled one of the cells. The proprietor of the house is charged with having the liquor for sale without a license.

Carleton Band Ready.
The men of the Carleton Cornet Band, who are going with the 104th Battalion, are to get their uniforms on Tuesday night. They will be in the city today, but will not arrive to the men till the meeting of the band on Tuesday night. The men themselves will be in the city till Saturday, when they will go to the camp at Sussex.

Lt.-Col. Fowler to Speak.
On Thursday evening there will be a grand patriotic demonstration here. Lt.-Col. George W. Fowler, commanding officer of the 104th Battalion, will address the gathering. One of the big risks will be the scene of the meeting. Four bands will parade from different parts of the city to the rink. Sergeant Knight will be present and urge the need of recruiting.

Church Anniversary.
The 64th anniversary of the founding of the church was celebrated in St. James' by special service yesterday. In the morning Rev. H. A. Cody, rector of the church, gave an address on "The Two-Pill Navy." Special music was also sung at this service. In the evening the rector spoke on the work of the Red Cross. On Friday evening last the anniversary was celebrated with an entertainment.

WINTER STREET AND ST. MALACHI'S BOYS WIN.

Two games were played in the School Boys' football league on the Shamrock grounds Saturday morning. The first was between Winter Street and King Edward and resulted in a victory for the former, 9 to 3. The feature was the playing of Anderson of the winners. He made a sensational run and, after covering nearly the entire distance from one goal to the other, scored a touchdown. The second game between St. Malachi's boys and the Centennial was one-sided, as the latter team did not have a complete line-up. The score was 39 to 0. The winners have a good team, and with a little more knowledge of the game, should make formidable contenders for the championship.

ANOTHER ST. JOHN BOY GIVES HIS LIFE FOR HIS COUNTRY

Robert E. Knowles dies as result of wounds—William Warnock and Alfred Henderson mentioned among the injured—Word came yesterday.

Among the casualties reported yesterday were three St. John boys, all members of the 26th Battalion. Private Robert E. Knowles died of wounds received about two weeks ago. William Warnock and Alfred Henderson, of West St. John, were reported wounded.

A telegram received at the home of Joseph S. Knowles, of 134 Orange street, yesterday morning brought the sad news of the death of his son, Pte. Robert E. Knowles. It read as follows: "Deeply regret to inform you No. 69489, Pte. Robert E. Knowles, 26th Battalion, officially reported died of wounds, October 14th." There were no particulars but it is believed the boy was wounded in the great drive reported nearly two weeks ago. He was in the company commanded by Major Brown and in the platoon under Lieut. Fairweather both of whom were reported injured during the last week.

The last news received from him was on September 27th and then he told of celebrating his eighteenth birthday on Sept. 17th in France by walking over country in a pair of new boots. He was then in the trenches. Shortly after the war broke out he had enlisted in the 28th Dragoons who were later transferred to the 6th Mounted Rifles, but young Knowles had transferred before this to the 26th Battalion. He remained in the city last winter and spring with his company and left with them early in the summer. His parents and sisters were deeply shocked at the news of

his death as no other word was received of his injuries before this.

The two boys wounded are William C. Warnock and Alfred Henderson. The former is the son of James Warnock, of 156 Market Place, West St. John, and the latter is the son of James S. Henderson, 104 Duke street, West.

The telegram to Mr. Warnock read as follows: "Sincerely regret to inform you that No. 70965, Private William C. Warnock, has been admitted to the Australian Hospital, Vimereaux, wounded in left leg. Will send further particulars as soon as received.

(Signed) "ADJUTANT GENERAL."

Warnock had been employed with the C. P. R. for some time previous to his enlistment, as a checker, but about a month before he enlisted he was made shed foreman. He was about twenty-one years old, and was well known and liked around the city, and all his friends will hear of his injuries with regret.

The telegram to Mr. Henderson was worded much the same, except that no particulars were given as to the nature of the wound. Alfred Henderson was eighteen years of age, and was a general favorite around the West End.

Both young men have been heard from quite frequently since they have left here, and the last word from each stated that they had been in the trenches, but at the time of writing, they were well.

BIBLE SOCIETY SUNDAY AND THE WORK DONE

Scripture distribution to soldiers has been generally appreciated—What the society means

Bible Society Sunday was pretty generally observed yesterday by the church generally throughout the Maritime Provinces. Many churches in the city heard sermons on this particular day. Rev. H. R. Boyer, M. S. T., secretary of Bible Society, spoke at St. John's Presbyterian church in the morning, and in Main street Baptist in the evening. Rev. Dr. Morrison also spoke of the Bible Society in the First Presbyterian church, West End, in the morning.

The following are the chief points brought out in Rev. H. R. Boyer's address:

The Canadian Bible Society. Eleven years ago the various Bible Society Auxiliaries were consolidated into the Canadian Bible Society and incorporated by the government at Ottawa to do Bible work in Canada. Since its formation Bible distribution in Canada has more than tripled. During the years re-organization and re-construction have been effected with a view to economy and efficiency. It included the movement of meeting the immigrants at the ports of entry. It gives to each free, in his own language, a portion of the Scriptures. There are 110 languages spoken in Canada, and the Bible Society is the only branch of the Christian church that works among all these strangers. In doing this work the society is performing a great national service. It employs 70 colporteurs and Bible women who labor in every province of the Dominion circulating the Bible in the various languages spoken in our country. Its expenditure alone in this work in 1915 was more than \$30,000.

District Number One, which embraces New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island and Newfoundland, is under the supervision of Rev. Henry R. Boyer, M. S. T. During the past year this district has been re-organized.

The office of travelling secretary of Nova Scotia has been done away with and all the work of the district has been consolidated and centered in St. John, which is the district secretary's headquarters.

The purpose of this consolidation was economy. Because the district secretary could not reach all parts of his extensive district, and in view of the inter-relationship of the society and the denominations on the one hand, and the dependence of the denomination for Scriptures in foreign languages on the other, the Bible Society suggested that the fourth Sunday of October be observed as the Bible Society Sunday. That this was a popular move was evidenced by the number of clergymen of various faiths who wrote to the head office for literature containing data to assist in the preparation of their sermons, and by the hearty endorsement of the Presbyterian Synod and the Baptist convention of the Maritime Provinces which have held their maritime conventions since this scheme was proposed.

The Mother Society. The Canadian Bible Society is auxiliary to the British and Foreign Bible Society, which was founded in 1804. Its purpose was the publication of the Bible in the various languages spoken by the peoples among whom Christian denominations labored. For 111 years it has been the clearing house for the Scriptures. It has published the Bible in 487 languages and placed it in the hands of over 162,000,000 people. It furnishes Scriptures to the various denominations as follows:—To the Church of England in 172 languages; to the Presbyterian in 132; to the Methodists in 92; to the Baptists in 70, and to the Congregationalists in 57. It spends in this work \$100 for every \$1,000 raised by these denominations for home and foreign missionary work.

Its 1,800 Colporteurs last year circulated over 4 1/4 million copies, while its total circulation in 1914 passed the ten million mark. Of these over 2,000,000 went to China; 1,600,000 to India; 1,800,000 to Continental Europe and some 244,000 to Canada.

The Bible Society in the War. The Bible society is filling a large place in the war. It has presented free of cost 80,000 copies of the New Testament to Canadian overseas troops. To the soldiers of the empire and of other belligerent nations the free distribution had passed the 2,000,000 mark two months ago. It places Scripture free in hospitals in the war zone that are under Red Cross organization, and is giving largely to prisoners of war. It sent 675 Gospels in German to the German prisoners interned in Amherst, and has presented many Scriptures to refugees that have come within the Empire.

Found in Barn. Frank King was found lying sick in a barn off Sandy Point road Friday by the police and was sent to the hospital.

\$5.00 REWARD—Lost gold watch fob, about size of \$20 gold piece, with letters B. H. S. Return to Dufferin Hotel.

BADMINTON TIME IS HERE

The reorganization of Badminton Clubs for the winter season brings to mind once more the question of regulations for the game of which we have just opened, in our sporting department, a very complete line, from the most reliable producers, including

RACKETS—"Cheltenham" . . . \$3.25 each
RACKETS—"Vidal" . . . \$4.25 each
RACKET PRESSES . . . 60c. each
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Advance Showing of Christmas Neckwear

This shipment having arrived several weeks earlier than expected, and rather than take them in stock, as our business year ends November 30, we have decided to place them on sale this morning at the popular price of 50c each, at which price the value is far above the usual offerings. These Ties are of large size and in the most improved shapes, and in entirely new and quite different designs and colorings from any previous showing.

This will be an unusual opportunity to purchase handsome neckwear at a much less outlay than would otherwise be possible. The shapes are the popular open-end kinds featuring the slip-easy bands and the non-stretch kinds.

Only **50c each**
MEN'S FURNISHINGS DEPARTMENT.

New Ribbons for Fall

They comprise all the new shades and combinations of shades for Millinery, Dress Trimmings, Hair and Sash Bows, etc.

PICOT EDEG RIBBONS 10c. to 35c. yard
BANDINGS 12c. to 50c. yard
PLAIDS 25c. to 75c. yard
ROMAN and BAYARDERE STRIPES 25c. to \$1.50 yard
REDDEN and CHENE 15c. to \$1.65 yard
VELVET RIBBON—In black, black and white and all popular shades; 1/2 to 3 inch 3c. to 50c. yard
DOROTHY DAINTY HAIR AND SASH RIBBON to match, 40c. to \$1.70 yard.

BELTINGS, FOR RIBBONS, LINGERIE, PATRIOTIC, etc.
RIBBON SPECIALS At 10c., 15c. and 25c. yard
NEW SILK FLOWERS and CORSAGE BOUQUETS.

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Black Velveteens

For making Ladies' and Children's Dresses, Coats, Suits, etc., and in great demand this season.

BLACK VELVETEENS
24 inches wide, per yard 45c., 90c., \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.25
27 inches wide, per yard \$1.40.
32 inches wide, per yard \$1.85, \$2.25.

Also Black Corduroy, 27 inches wide, per yard \$1.25

SILK DEPARTMENT—SECOND FLOOR

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BAD RAIL TIED UP STREET CARS

Market square the scene of much trouble for street railway.

The street car service was much hindered on Saturday night and all day yesterday by a piece of the rail at the curve at the foot of King street breaking off. Every car that went by had to go carefully to avoid going off the track, and even then several cars left the rails. The first car went off about ten o'clock Saturday night, and after that about one car out of every four that came along left the track.

The worst tie-up occurred yesterday afternoon about three o'clock when one car came along at a good rate of speed and jumped clear of the track, and kept on going till it stopped on the other pair of rails, thus blocking traffic going both ways for quite a while. Before the car was got back to the rails and started on its way again, fourteen cars were held up at the foot of King street and along Prince William street. Workmen were engaged on the track last night and early this morning, and the track will be probably all right for the regular service this morning.

The trolley wire near the foot of Dock street parted sometime during the evening and caused more inconvenience.

SIX TRAVELLERS OFFER SERVICES

Will Join Platoon in the 104th Battalion—Many more going in, too.

The commercial travellers are out to do their bit for the Empire. Recently they made large contributions to the funds and now they are determined to give their personal services. A meeting of travellers was held Saturday night in the Board of Trade rooms and six men offered themselves as members of the travellers' platoon of the 104th Battalion. Those offering were:

James Turnbull,
A. C. Turner,
J. V. Kierstead,
W. R. Wilson,
J. F. Whitley,
M. Maloney.

Arrangements have been made with Colonel Fowler for these men to join their battalion on December 1. This will give all a chance to get their affairs in shape.

There were about forty present Saturday night and speeches were made by the following: J. V. Kierstead, A. Kirkpatrick, J. LeLacheur, J. Kulight, F. W. Coombs and James Turnbull.

MEMORIAL WINDOW AT ST. DAVID'S CHURCH

Unveiled yesterday in memory of Mr. and Mrs. John P. C. Burpee.

A beautiful memorial window, which has been placed in St. David's church, in memory of the late John P. C. Burpee and Anne, his wife, was unveiled at the morning service yesterday.

In presenting the window to the church, on behalf of his sister, Mrs. H. A. McKeown, his brother, Bruce Burpee, and himself, Francis F. Burpee, son of the honored dead, mentioned the fact that his father had been a member of the committee which had in hand the building of the present St. David's church.

In accepting the window on behalf of the congregation, Rev. J. A. MacKeigan said that, though he only knew of the noble life and good works of the late Mr. Burpee by the testimony of others, he accounted it among the greatest privileges and the tenderest memories of his ministry to have known Mr. Burpee.

The window, which is executed in soft oriental colorings, depicts the Good Samaritan in the act of ministering to the man who "fell among thieves" and was left by the wayside "half dead," and Rev. Mr. MacKeigan preached a most excellent sermon on the same subject.

COMFY VELOURS

A lucky purchase of a quantity of soft, downy velours enables F. A. Dykeman & Co. to offer a quality that usually sells for 40 cents at the exceptionally low price of 29 cents a yard. There is a good assortment of patterns suitable for kimonas, dressing jackets and lounging robes. The material is 28 inches wide and is shown in a nice large range of patterns.